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14 May 1953

MEMORANDUM FOR: THE RECORD

SUBJECT : PSB Staff Meeting, 13 May 1953

25X1A 1. [REDACTED], substituting for [REDACTED], went with 25X1A  
me to the meeting.

25X1A 2. [REDACTED] reviewed the items on the agenda for 14 May.  
25X1A Items 1 and 2 have been covered in my memorandum to [REDACTED] 25X1A  
of 13 May and in a memorandum from CPP to [REDACTED] of the same date.

25X1A 3. A further note on Item 3 -- [REDACTED] said that this item was  
suggested by C. D. Jackson, who is concerned with what can be done to  
stimulate more and better programs in this field, and that a possible solution  
is to assign responsibility to one particular agency on a priority basis.  
25X1A While he did not make clear what specific problem touching on the gray  
field was involved, [REDACTED] and I suspect that it may be not so  
much what gaps there are in the gray field as what little effort is being  
made in the field of doctrinal warfare. If our suspicion is correct the  
proper approach for any future discussion of this subject would seem to be  
to examine what is being proposed in the field of doctrinal warfare and then  
determine whether it belongs in the white or gray area, rather than engage  
in a general discussion on the subject of gray jurisdiction. From state-  
ments attributed to Mr. MacKnight, the State Department is satisfied with the  
present arrangement which results from the 1951 "treaty" among State, CIA,  
and MSA.

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4. At the meeting Bill Godel reported a Jackson Committee proposal  
[REDACTED]

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